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REMARKS

This is a preliminary amendment before the first Office Action.

Claims 1-7 are pending herein.

The specification, claims and abstract are amended in order to conform to idiomatic English, to correct certain inadvertent typographical errors, and to make the reference numbers used in the specification consistent with the drawings. No new matter has been added.

A Request For Approval To Make Drawing Changes is filed herewith, correcting the reference numbers used in the drawings where necessary in order to be consistent with the corrections made by this Preliminary Amendment, and/or with the original specification.

Applicant submits Claims 1-7 are in condition for examination, early notification of which is earnestly solicited. Should the Examiner be of the view that an interview would expedite consideration of this Amendment or of the application at large, request is made that the Examiner telephone the Applicant's attorney at (908) 518-7700 in order that any outstanding issues be resolved.

If there are any fees due and owing in respect to this amendment, the Examiner is authorized to charge such fees to deposit account number 50-1047.

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DRAWING CHANGES

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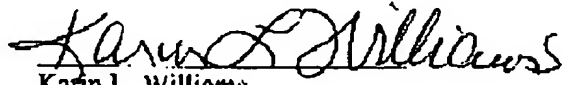
Applicant hereby requests the Examiner's approval of the following proposed changes to the Figures 3 and 4c in the above-identified application. For the Examiner's convenience, replacement drawing sheets 3/4 and 4/4 are attached, as well as a copy of original drawing sheets 3/4 and 4/4 indicating the desired changes.

The specific changes made include correction of the appearance of reference numbers 67 and 64 in Fig. 3, which appear in the originally filed drawings as if written vertically (i.e. 6 over 7, or 6 over 4). They have been replaced with "67" and "64", respectively. In Fig. 4c, various elements were inadvertently identified by the same

reference number "12". These have been corrected to 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, and 128. Certain other elements were both identified by reference number "13". These have been corrected to 130 and 131. These corrections are consistent with the references numbers used throughout the specification and claims.

An indication of the Examiner's approval of the proposed changes is respectfully requested in the first Patent Office communication. Should the Examiner be of the view that an interview would expedite consideration of this Request or of the application at large, request is made that the Examiner telephone the Applicants' attorney at (908) 518-7700 in order that any outstanding issues be resolved.

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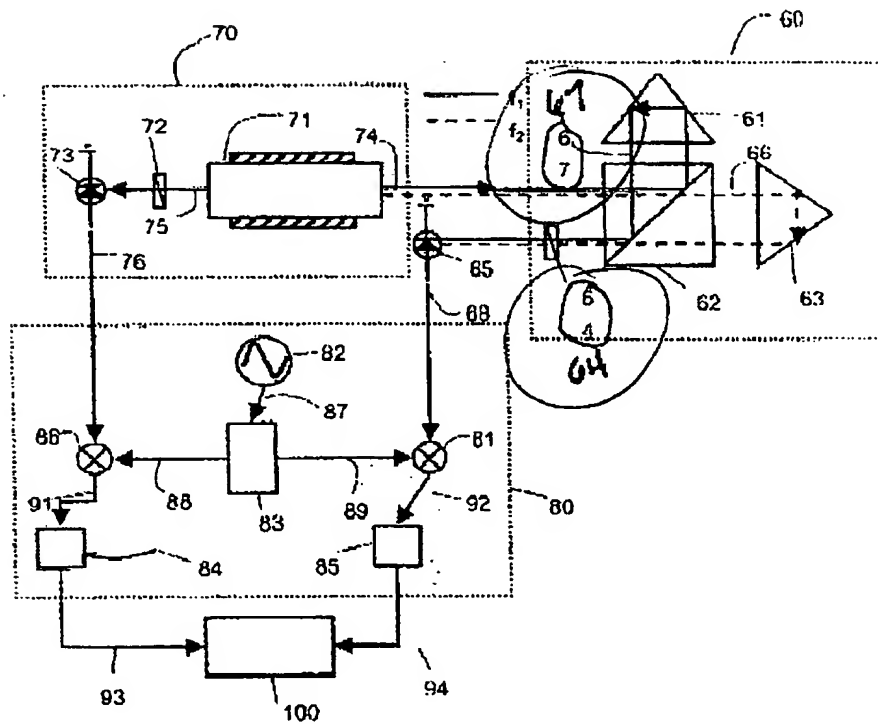

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FIG. 3



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FIG. 4a

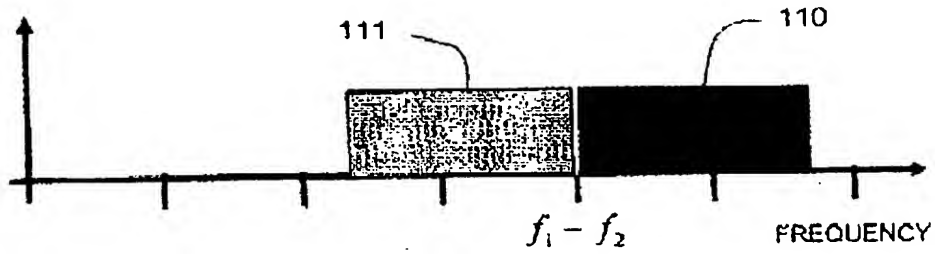


FIG. 4b

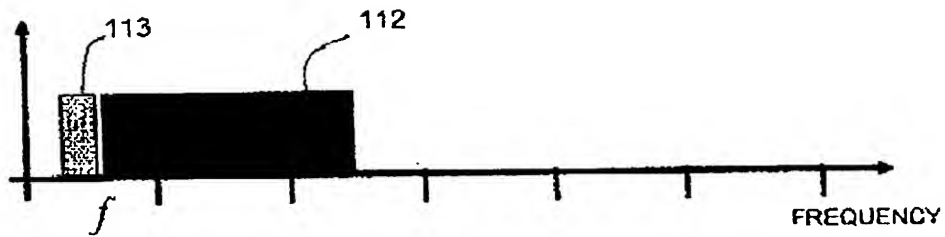


FIG. 4c

